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In re application of : **Confirmation No. 8810**
Yoshio TAKAHASHI et al. : **Docket No. 2001_1458A**
Serial No. 09/937,930 : **Group Art Unit 2612**
Filed November 30, 2001 : **Examiner Justin P. Misleh**
IMAGE INPUT DEVICE : **Mail Stop Amendment**

AMENDMENT

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FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA		RATE	FEE		RATE
BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.10(a))					\$ _____	OR	\$ _____
TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(a))		minus 20 =	*	X \$ _____ =		OR	X \$ _____ =
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b))		minus 3 =	*	X \$ _____ =		OR	X \$ _____ =
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT (37 CFR 1.16(d))				+ \$ _____ =		OR	+ \$ _____ =
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Total (37 CFR 1.16(c))	17	Minus	24	X \$ _____ =		OR	X \$ _____ =
Independent (37 CFR 1.16(b))	9	Minus	3	X \$ _____ =		OR	X \$ <u>200</u> = <u>1200</u>
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d))				+ \$ _____ =		OR	+ \$ _____ =
				TOTAL ADD'L FEE		OR	TOTAL ADD'L FEE
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Total (37 CFR 1.16(c))		Minus		X \$ _____ =		OR	X \$ _____ =
Independent (37 CFR 1.16(b))		Minus		X \$ _____ =		OR	X \$ _____ =
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d))				+ \$ _____ =		OR	+ \$ _____ =
				TOTAL ADD'L FEE		OR	TOTAL ADD'L FEE
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Total (37 CFR 1.16(c))		Minus		X \$ _____ =		OR	X \$ _____ =
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FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d))				+ \$ _____ =		OR	+ \$ _____ =
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